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## **Grand Teton National Park** News Release

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## Grand Teton National Park Hosts Music Festival Concerts

Two free, one-hour concerts will be performed in Grand Teton National Park by ensembles of the Grand Teton Music Festival Orchestra on Thursday, July 19. The first event takes place at 3:30 p.m. in the Colter Bay Amphitheater adjacent to the Colter Bay Visitor Center. A second is planned for 5:00 p.m. at Jackson Lake Lodge.

Selections from Mozart's opera "Don Giovanni" will be played by a group of eight brass and wind instrumentalists. Area residents and park visitors alike are invited to attend the outdoor event. The second concert is planned for Jackson Lake Lodge beginning at 5:00 p.m. That concert will feature a chamber group made up of piano, oboe, clarinet, bassoon and french horn playing the music of Beethoven. The free concerts are being offered by members of the Grand Teton Music Festival Orchestra as a way to reach out to people throughout the community who might not otherwise have the opportunity to enjoy the talents of these musicians.

"Grand Teton National Park is pleased to host these talented musicians for their annual Community Day concerts, "says Acting Superintendent Steve Iobst. "It seems fitting that virtuoso performances of some of the world's masterpieces will be enjoyed at the foot of one of the world's most magnificent natural wonders."

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